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MEMORANDUM

TO:

Interested Parties

FROM:

Susan W. Shaffer-

DATE:

September 20, 2004

RE:

July 2004 Drug Test Statistics - Adult Arrestees

Drug testing of adult arrestees for July 2004 revealed a decrease in the level of substance abuse detected for cocaine, which was down 2% from June to 37%. The levels of substance abuse detected for opiates and PCP remained the same as the previous month, at 9% and 6%, respectively.

The overall number of adult arrestees testing positive for at least one drug was 762 of the 1,777 screened, or 43% -- down 2% from the previous month.

The breakdown of July 2004 test results is as follows:

Total positive for PCP -- 101 (6% of those tested, 13% of all positive)

Total positive for Opiates -- 162 (9% of those tested, 21% of all positive)

Total positive for Cocaine -- 655 (37% of those tested, 86% of all positive)

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